



Application of:

MITSUO NIIDA ET AL.

Application No.: 09/361,413

Filed: July 27, 1999

For: DATA COMMUNICATION SYSTEM, DATA
COMMUNICATION CONTROL METHOD AND
ELECTRONIC APPARATUS

Docket No. 03500.013685

Examiner: J.M. Villecco

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Sir:

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CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
	(2) CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		(4) HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	(5) PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS	* 14	MINUS	** 24	= 0	x \$9 \$18	0.00
INDEP. CLAIMS	* 1	MINUS	*** 15	= 0	x \$43 \$86	0.00
Fee for Multiple Dependent claims \$145°/\$290						\$290.00
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT---						\$290.00

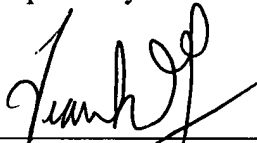
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- ☐ Verified Statement claiming small entity status is enclosed, if not filed previously.
- ☒ A check in the amount of \$ 290.00 is enclosed.
- ☐ Charge \$ _____ to Deposit Account No. 06-1205. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.
- ☒ Any prior general authorization to charge an issue fee under 37 C.F.R. 1.18 to Deposit Account No. 06-1205 is hereby revoked. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees under 37 C.F.R. 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required during the entire pendency of this application, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 06-1205. A duplicate copy of this paper is enclosed.
- ☒ A check in the amount of \$ 110.00 to cover the fee for a one-month extension is enclosed.
- ☐ A check in the amount of \$ _____ to cover the Information Disclosure Statement fee is enclosed.
- ☒ Applicants' undersigned attorney may be reached in our New York office by telephone at (212) 218-2100. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below.

Respectfully submitted,



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